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DAILY LOG
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1. In my meeting with Representative Morgan Murphy today about which I partially reported in the Daily Summary, Mr. Murphy also said that as far as he was concerned the charters were going no where as their basic thrust was to impair the mission of CIA. He said he has already advised Senator Bayh that fact.
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I called on Senator Morgan, who has a bone to pick with us. He feels that unless cooperation is a two-way street, he is no longer interested in intelligence committee work. What is on his mind is the clearance problem for John Stirk, his staffer, but also the leaks question. He believes that leaks should be regarded as a joint Legislative/Executive Branch problem and that the DCI is making a real mistake by going back to the discredited practice of restricting information to the Chairman and Ranking Members of the oversight committees. In Senator Morgan's view, this will only lead to the kind of resolution which brought on the Church Committee in the first place.
3. I called Representative Mazzoli off the House floor. He was cold and stand-offish. He wondered what my business was. He told me in no uncertain terms he feels he has been lied to by the Director and that is why we have so much trouble with this hearing. He doesn't want any soft sell; he wants a frank and full exchange and he is only willing to talk on that basis. I told him I would make sure that we give him the full story on the NID article and would be setting up a meeting with him next week.

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